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Sir:

Attached is the International Search Report and the Written Opinion of the International Searching Authority dated March 10, 2005 including all of the cited references. Thus, the references were cited in a corresponding foreign application within three months of this submission.

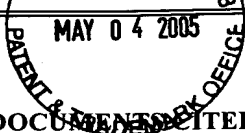
To comply with the duty of disclosure set forth in 37 C.F.R. 1.56, the prior art listed on the attached PTO-1449 is submitted herewith to the Examiner for consideration in connection with the examination of the above-identified application.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Barnes & Thornburg, Deposit Account No. 02-1010 (509/40743).

Respectfully submitted,

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